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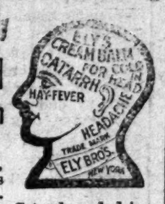

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WANTED TO DIE.

Edgar Allen Poe, at his best, never imagined a more horrible story than was calmly told yesterday afternoon on the witness stand at the inquest on the death of Dr. Frederick T. Rustin, the Omaha surgeon, who was found dying on his porch at Omaha, Neb., one week ago last night with a bullet through his body.

The story was of three people, all wanting to die, one because of his inability to provide for his wife and children and, further, because of his infatuation for a woman of the streets; the second, a woman, Mrs. Abbie Rice, anxious and willing to die, because of love for the doctor, and, the third, a rich young man, Charlie Davis, wanting to die because of insomnia.

The denouement in the Rustin mystery came yesterday afternoon when Mrs. Rice took the witness stand to tell of her relations with Dr. Rustin. After detailing their infatuation for each other the woman told of Dr. Rustin's intention to die, but that he hesitated to commit suicide, for then his family could not secure the benefits of his life insurance policies.

He then, according to the woman, made a suicide compact with her, in which she was to shoot him and then kill herself. But after several attempts, each time of which her nerve failed her, Rustin told her not to trouble herself, that he had found another fellow who wanted to die and that in return for enough drugs to kill himself the fellow stood ready to shoot Rustin.

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ATTEMPT TO KILL CHARGED.

Herbert Hutchinson, a young man of Portsmouth, was in Mayor Reed's court in Norfolk yesterday charged with attempting to kill Charles Cherry, another young man. He also tried to kill himself.

Hutchinson had been paying attention to Miss Alice Cherry, a sister of Charles Cherry. This was objectionable to Charles, and it is alleged that he warned Hutchinson to discontinue his visits. Monday night in the absence of Cherry, Hutchinson called on Miss Cherry, and with her was sitting on the porch of a friend as Cherry returned home at a late hour. It is alleged that Cherry then threatened to kill Hutchinson, and that Hutchinson pulled a revolver and commenced firing. Three shots fired at Cherry went wide. Hutchinson then turned the muzzle of the weapon toward himself and fired the two remaining bullets from the pistol, but these also missed the mark.

Hutchinson was released on bail yesterday in the sum of $500, his father, W. F. Hutchinson, going as his surety.

DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills are for weak back, backache, rheumatic pains, inflammation of the bladder and all other annoyances due to weak kidneys. They are sold by W. F. Creighton & Co.

ROCKEFELLER'S ADVICE.

John D. Rockefeller, enjoying in excellent health and spirits his sixty-ninth birthday, advised a reporter to be very slow and careful and cautious in all business matters.

"Look about you," he said. "See that you get your money's worth. Be a hard customer rather than an easy one. If you don't——

"John Sullivan, of Cleveland, was proud of his reputation for generosity. Everybody sought his patronage—tailors, grocers, tobacconists and so forth—and this delighted John.

"But one day at his tailor's he overheard something that gave him food for thought. He had been trying on some golf trousers, and was still in the dressing-room, but the tailor thought him gone.

"'What shall I charge Mr. Sullivan for these golf trousers?' John heard the clerk ask. 'Eight dollars a pair, the same as our other patrons?'

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ASKED PASTOR TO RESIGN.

Because Rev. Philip Elsom preached a sermon on the text "Thou shall not commit adultery," the congregation of the Fayetteville, Baptist Church, at Raleigh, N. C., has been torn into factions, and the pastor has been asked to resign and leave the city. The sermon was delivered last Sunday and words were not minced. Some of the references to certain people were so broad as to be unmistakable. Many of the things said by the preacher cannot be printed. The sermon is generally described as grossly vulgar. During the discourse many of the members of the congregation left the church, and they were so indignant that there was talk of handling the preacher roughly.

Yesterday the entire board of deacons and over 300 members of the congregation requested Rev. Mr. Elsom to resign and leave. The preacher says he will not quit, and that only the guilty are condemning his sermon. The matter will likely be taken to the courts.

TO COLONIZE SOUTHERN MARYLAND.

A conference between Assistant Freight Agent Sitkens, of Philadelphia, and interests of Baltimore was held yesterday in the offices of the Pennsylvania Railroad, at Calvert and Baltimore streets, with a view to colonizing about 10,000 acres of land along the Pennsylvania Railroad in Charles and Prince Georges counties with foreigners. No particulars were given out in regard to the details of the proposition, but Secretary Trappe, of the State Immigration Bureau, has been called on for help in supplying information concerning the irquities made by the immigrants for farms. It is understood that the plan will be to cut the big tract up into small farms suitable to trucking, and that German, Norwegian and Dutch immigrants will be given the preference.

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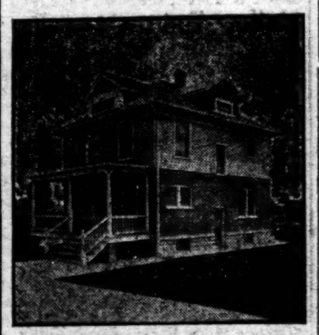

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In presenting this tasteful furniture to the public at a discount of 25 to 50 per cent, we, too, are following a law—of economics—to create demand for articles of good taste by placing rational, well-made furniture within the purchasing power of those shoppers who recognize present values and future possibilities.

Ideas for refurnishing rooms, dwellings, or hotels will be suggested by attending this sale, and prices for all classes of furniture will be found pleasingly low.

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In connection with our Upholstery and Drapery Departments, we have added a complete line of the best Foreign and Domestic Wall Papers, and are now thoroughly equipped to execute in a first-class manner all orders for Interior Decorations, including

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Boys' Ribbed Hose, 1x1, 2x2 rib; all sizes; special..... 25c

Ladies' Fine Black Cotton Hose; double sole; spliced heel; Hermsdorf dye. 25c value. Special..... 19c

Misses' Fine Black Ribbed Hose; double sole; spliced heel. 35c value. Special..... 25c

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Children's Fine Ribbed Hose; double heel and toe. 19c value Special..... 12½c

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New Wool Panama, 36 inches wide, yard 50c.

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Total cost of session of nine months, including tuition and other fees, board, washing, uniforms, medical attendance, etc., $276.60. Cost of State students, $226.60.

The next session opens Wednesday, September 23rd, 1908.

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MEETINGS.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.—There will be held the regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the AMERICAN LOCOMOTIVE APPLIANCE COMPANY at the office of the company, 21 King street, Alexandria, Va., on WEDNESDAY, September 23, at 2 p. m.

J. MOULTRIE WARD, Secretary.

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ALEXANDRIA GAZETTE AND VIRGINIA ADVERTISER.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, SEPT. 9, 1908.

MR. TAFT should be taken in hand and not be allowed to make any more extemporaneous speeches. In his address at Sandusky, Ohio, yesterday, he made a fool of himself and offered a gratuitous insult to fully one half the untrammeled voters of the country when he said: "And I want to say to the men and women of this country—for I want to interest the women on these questions—that the election of Mr. Bryan would be a menace to the confidence which is necessary to the confidence on which prosperity rests." Mr. Bryan is as fully deserving the confidence of the public as is Mr. Taft. He has received more votes than any democrat who ever ran for the presidency and would have won had the election not been bought by the republican leaders. The election of Mr. Bryan would be no more a "menace to the confidence in which prosperity rests" than would be the election of Mr. Taft. The latter in all his speeches states that he believes implicitly in the "Roosevelt policies," which have put prosperity at unrest and have demoralized business throughout the length and breadth of the land. The republicans by their long continuance in office have become arrogant and such statements as that by Mr. Taft, referred to above, should be resented by all people of common sense. The democrats have just as much interest in the welfare of the country as have the republicans—probably more.

TO THE question, Is a contribution to the national campaign fund of a party a violation of the Barksdale pure election law? Mr. L. H. Machen, of this city, in a letter to the Richmond Times Dispatch raises several interesting points. Mr. Machen personally favors popular campaign contributions in national elections on the ground that a large fund is needed to run a presidential campaign and thinks the Barksdale law never intended to forbid such contributions, but he adds this supposed intent cannot contravene the terms of the statute should they be found to apply to such contributions. He quotes subsection 2, of Barksdale law which provides:

That no person shall expend, pay, promise, loan or become pecuniarily liable in any way for any money or other valuable thing in behalf of any candidate for office at any election, primary or nominating convention held in this commonwealth. Any person or candidate violating any of the provisions of this or the preceding section of this act shall be subject to a fine of not less than $100 nor more than $1,000, or confined in jail not less than one nor more than twelve months.

THE vacation season has about ended and the large majority of Alexandrians who spent the summer at seaside resorts and rural retreats have returned to their homes. As is generally the case, the stay-at-homes outnumbered those who were in positions to take vacations and though the summer was quite exhausting many who have remained at their posts of duty are probably as well off as those who "exculted" or rusticated. The community has been blessed with comparatively good health and there have been no seriously damaging storms in this city during the summer.

EVEN before the schools reopen in the larger cities of the country the cry goes up that more children are seeking admittance than can be accomodated. It is said in Philadelphia and New York and other large cities many thousand children will be denied admittance to the schools because of a lack of seating capacity in the buildings. The growing expense of the public schools is one of the most serious questions that now comfronts state, city and county authorities and so far no solution has been found.

From Washington.

[Correspondence of the Alexandria Gazette.]

Washington, Sept. 9.

The Comptroller of the Currency today made the following statement: "Judge F. F. Oldham, chief of the insolvent division, whom I sent to Pittsburg before the closing of the Cosmopolitan National Bank, returned this morning, and states that the condition of the bank justified its closing. No application has been made to this office, making proposition of any kind whatever, looking towards its reopening for business, nor has anything been received from any officer connected with the bank, charging Mr. Cunningham with intoxication when he made the examination."

Fire flew today in court, in the fight the Bucks Range and Stove Company is waging to have President Samuel Gompers, John Mitchell and other executive officers of the American Federation of Labor adjudged in contempt for violation of the court's order against the federation's publication of an "unfair list." Justice Gould, of the U. S. District Court, finally decided to have testimony taken before a master in chancery, after oral arguments in defense of the federation officials by Judge Alton B. Parker of New York, and by Daniel Davenport, on behalf of the stove company. A limit of sixty days was fixed. A sensational incident marked the hearing. Attorney Davenport dramatically pointing his finger at John Mitchell, who was seated with President Gompers, Secretary Morrison, and Messrs. O'Connell, Hayes, and Morris of the executive committee, shouted: "We will show that Mitchell's affaidavit in this connection is a statement wholly false and made with the knowledge that it was false." Mitchell's face flushed. Judge Parker sprang to his feet in expostulation. He declared that his client had a reputation as good as any man in the United States. Attorney Davenport charged, among other things, that Mitchell had authorized the miners in Indianapolis over which he was presiding, to go on record as opposing the ruling of Justice Gould's court. Further developments were prevented by Justice Gould closing the arguments and arranging for the taking of testimony. He appointed W. H. Smith, a local attorney, as master in chancery. Subpoenas will be issued tonight on behalf of the stove company, for the immediate attendance of Gompers, Mitchell, and others of the executive committee of the federation. Judge Parker's argument was in favor of a jury trial, but at the conclusion of it, he withdrew the plea. He charged that an attempt was being made to keep the case before the public for an indefinite time, and in resisting the effort to have an examiner appointed, argued that the court was fully competent to pass upon the question, inasmuch as it was fully acquainted with the facts.

James A. Jennings, a druggist at 800 Twelth street northwest, went insane last night and made preparations to defend his store against an attack of supposed enemies. Later he was locked up.

Judge Alton B. Parker addressed a political gathering of several thousand people from the balcony of the Arlington Hotel last night. He predicted democratic success, but said that in Roosevelt the republicans had a resourceful politician at their head. Parker referred to Roosevelt's dealings with Harriman when the latter put $250,000 in New York State during the last few days of the campaign having previously denied any connection with corporations.

Virginia News.

Dr. Robert B. Shackelford, 78 years old, died at his home, near Cismont, in Albemarle county, yesterday.

The Virginia State Rural Letter-carriers Association is in annual session at Lynchburg.

Edwin A. Alderman, president of the University of Virginia, has returned from Europe. He has entirely recovered his health, which was in rather a precarious condition when he went to Europe in the summer.

R. L. Lynn, one of the guards at the State penitentiary, who was struck on the head a few days ago by a falling shutter, died yesterday. Mr. Lynn was a member of R. E. Lee Camp, Confederate Veterans, of Richmond.

All efforts to secure a statement concerning the trouble existing at the Newport News postoffice were in vain yesterday. It is said that there is a large shortage in one of the departments, but both Postmaster Hopkins and the inspector decline to give out any information.

Walter Mead Williams, forty-two years old for years chief clerk of the Norfolk and Western freight office, died at Lynchburg, yesterday morning. He leaves a wife and a son. He was a life member of the local Y. M. C. A., and at one time was assistant secretary of the association there.

Henry Smith, a negro, was yesterday convicted in Portsmouth of criminal assault on seventy-years-old Mrs. Katharine Powell less than a month ago, and was sentenced by Judge Bain to die on Tuesday, October 13. This will be the first death in the electric chair in Virginia under the law passed by the last legislature.

Congressman Slemp yesterday refused to meet his democratic opponent, J. Cloyd Byars, in joint debate again at Lebanon. The two had a joint discussion at Jonesville, Wednesday, during which Byars declared from the stump that Slemp would refuse to meet him again. Both candidates spoke at Lebanon to large crowds.

Mr. Ernest Haymond Venable, of Charleston, W. Va., and Miss Elizabeth Rose Dabney, daughter of the late Walter D. Dabney, of the University of Virginia Law School, were married yesterday evening at the bride's home at Charlottesville, Rev. Harry B. Lee, rector of Christ Episcopal Church, officiating.

The State camp, Patrotic Sons of America, met yesterday in Portsmouth. State President E. M. Bunch, of Lynchburg, called the convention to order. Mayor Reed, of Portsmouth, welcomed the delegates to Portsmouth, Thomas B. Ivey, of Petersburg, responding. The State camp is now working to purchase for preservation the old Lee home, Strafford, Westmoreland county.

As the result of the visit to Norfolk of John F. Earnshaw, a United States food and drug inspector, 400 bags of meal, consigned to John Guthriell, of Norfolk, were seized yesterday by Deputy United States Marshall West. Each bag is labeled "best water ground," which, it is alleged, is erroneous, inasmuch as the meal is said to have been ground by steam-roller process. The meal was shipped from Covington, Ky., on September 3 by S. W. Weilder.

The grand jury of the corporation court of Roanoke yesterday indicted W. S. Gregory, a wealthy dentist, for assault and attempt to wrong Miss Theodora Irvine while a patient under the influence of chloroform in Gregory's office on July 28 last. Miss Irvine's home is in New York city. She was visiting friends in Roanoke when the alleged crime was committed on her. Gregory has maintained that the imagined assault was the result of chloroform and that he is innocent. He is at liberty on $10,000 bail.

Hug Was Worth Ten-Spot

Just before the hearings in the Camden Police Court in Philadelphia yesterday a man who gave his name as John Smith, and who left $10 as security for his appearance in court to answer a charge of disorderly conduct in hugging Fannie Bocco, a comely girl, telephoned the police that he would not appear at the hearing.

"You can keep the $10," he said. "I feel satisfied that I got the worth of my money."

The girl thought the money belonged to her instead of the city, declaring that "the hug was something awful."

News of the Day.

E. D. Smith seems to have won in the South Corolina primary for United States Senator over John Gary Evans.

Thomas Matthews, of Charlestown, W. Va., beat his wife nearly to death and then cut his throat with a razor yesterday.

Two women, one grieving over the death of her favorite son, the other despondent because of illness, leaped to death yesterday from windows in their homes at New York.

In the most important political conference of the campaign, W. J. Bryan in Chicago yesterday told members of the national committee, who were gathered in the Annex headquarters, that the democrats had the battle won.

For beating his wife from 2 until 4 o'clock in the morning, Benjamin Hughes was yesterday fined $10 by Judge Mills, of the Police Court of Washington. Hughes admitted his guilt and told the judge he was sorry.

In an interview at San Francisco, yesterday, E. H. Harriman said that there would be no extensive improvement work begun on any railway lines under his control until the financial situation had relaxed considerably.

By carrying eighteen of the twenty-three assembly districts of Brooklyn, Senator Patrick H. McCarren yesterday maintained his political control in Kings county, New York, and leaves him in control of the democratic county committee.

Pending the hearing on appeal from conviction on an indictment charging him with performing an operation on a negro girl, Edward Leon Thompson, known as Dr. Leon, of Washington, was yesterday released from the jail in Washington, under $4,000 bail.

John Coughlin, the armed man who was arrested while attempting to reach the president at Sagamore Hill, Monday, was examined by the two physicians yesterday and pronounced insane. He will be sent to an asylum at Kings Park, L. I,

With a roar that could be heard for several miles 50 pounds of dynamite exploded during a fire which destroyed a large barn, corn house and burnt up one horse on the country estate of Mr. Patrick Feeney, at Granite, Baltimore county, Md., last night shortly after 8 o'clock.

George W. Morton, 49 years of age, died suddenly in bed yesterday afternoon of apoplexy, at his home in Baltimore. He was a clerk in the employ of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad. His death was discovered when his little grandson was sent upstairs to call him.

Three men were killed, one was fatally injured and five others were seriously hurt by the explosion of twenty pounds of dynamite yesterday on Provin Mountain, near Agawam, Mass., where a contracting company is building a distributing reservoir in connection with the Springfield, Mass., water supply system. All the victims were laborers.

Capt. James R. Crawford died suddenly at his home at Salisbury, N. C., yesterday, after a severe illness, from which he had partly recovered. He was during the civil war captain of company B, Forty-second North Carolina regiment, and won distinction as a soldier. He was seventy-two years old, and is survived by a wife and four daughters.

A large oil tank, located near the Salisbury, N. C., city limits, exploded late Monday night, causing much damage. Ran Rogen, superintendent of the Salisbury electric plant, near the scene of the explosion, was spattered with the flaming oil, and was slightly burned. A bolt of lightning is supposed to have caused the accident.

Result of the application of the "Hughes test" in thirteen of the assembly districts of New York and Kings county in the republican primary elections yesterday were decidedly interesting. Six of the New York districts cast majorities for the renomination of the governor and three against. All of the Kings county districts cast decisive majorities against his renomination.

The shrunken and bleached body of an unrecognizible woman, with evidencies of the body having been covered with quick-lime, has been found on the West Virginia shore of the Ohio river, near Wellsville, O. With the body was found a rope with bloodstains upon it, and the authorities believe the woman was murdered. To hide the crime the body was covered with quicklime and thrown into the river.

Despondent over ill health, Mrs. Rosa Campbell, 23 years old, swallowed a dose of laudanum last night at her home in Baltimore. Her husband, Daniel P. Campbell, says he heard her threaten several times to kill both herself and her two children, one four years and the other two years of age. When he saw her throw away an empty bottle in the yard of their home last night he remembered her threats and quickly ascertained the contents of the bottle to have been laudanum.

Rivalry for the hand of a woman, which began in Sicily several years ago, resulted in a murder at Cleveland, O., yesterday, when Angelo Mazzo, a Sicilian, was stabbed through the heart by Carmen Bulone, also a Sicilian. Both men loved the same girl in Porta, Sicily, but Mazzo married the young woman. Bulone swore vengeance. In order to escape Bulone's wrath the couple fled to America. Bulone, however, followed them, and yesterday, on a crowded thoroughfare, killed Mazzo with a stiletto. Bulone fled, but was captured at the Union station as he was about to board a train for New York.

FRENCH MANEUVERS.

The French army maneuvers which began yesterday in the Touraine region are considered the most important since war play was inaugurated under the republic in 1891.

As if in response to the German maneuvers now being held across the French frontier, the opening positions of the French armies will be somewhat analogous to the situation existing on the eve of the war of 1870, which brought about the overthrow of Napoleon III and the establishment of the third republic, and caused the loss to France of Alsace and part of Lorraine.

The two French armies are commanded by Generals Millet and Tremeau, and each is composed of two corps, besides special wireless telegraph and telephone systems, and balloon and bicycle brigades. The whole maneuvers are under the supreme command of General La Croix.

Many foreign experts are watching the game.

Today's Telegraphic News

Eucharist Congress.

London, Sept. 9.—Every Catholic Church in London was crowded this morning at the services preliminary to the opening at 8 o'clock of the 19th annual International Eucharist Congress, the first gathering of its kind ever held in a Protestant country. The more important churches were occupied by prominent bishops, but even the humblest chapel had some high functionary in charge of its services.

Of the nine cardinals in attendance, Cardinal Gibbons of Baltimore is easily the most prominent with the exception of Cardinal Vannutelli, the papal delegate and president of the congress. Vannutelli has been in conference with Gibbons and it was reported today that he contemplated a visit to America soon. Gibbons is the guest of the duke of Norfolk.

The anti-Catholic feeling engendered by the protests of the Protestant alliance is manifesting itself on every hand. Whenever any of the church dignitaries appear on the streets, there are hisses and hooting from Protestant radicals. The authorities are apprehensive lest this feeling develop into a demonstration which will forever disgrace the empire. Heavy police guards have been ordered for every outdoor feature of the congress.

Rain marred the opening of the congress though it did not prevent Westminster Cathedral from being crowded by one of the largest throngs in its history. In conversations today several of the Catholic dignitaries admitted that London was chosen for the convention on account of the spread of Catholicism in England, which fact is urged by the Protestants in their opposition to the congress.

Archbishops and bishops are present from every country in Europe except Russia and Turkey, and from Algeria, Central Africa, Cape Colony, Canada, United States, Mexico, Brazil, India, Burmah, Australia and New Zealand.

The sectional meetings, two in English and one in French, are set for tomorrow, Friday and Saturday. A feature of the week will be Saturday's procession of 14,000 children from the London and English provincial Roman Catholic schools past the archbishop of London's residence where the high functionaries will review them.

Intense interest has also been manifested in the Byzantine Liturgy to be celebrated at the Cathedral. The rite, sanctioned by the Holy See and still in use in Asia Minor, Bulgaria and Macedonia, has never been exemplified in the west.

Bank Looted.

Copenhagen, Sept. 9.—Accountants who are going over the books of the Zeeland Peasants' Savings Bank, which was looted to the extent of a million or more through the operations of M. Alberti, its president, who was former minister of justice, expressed the fear today that the national treasury and the national bank had also suffered from Alberti's crooked financiering.

The handling of the public's money by Alberti is likely to result in one of the greatest scandals the country has ever known and the resignation of the cabinet, now in session, is expected to follow.

The extent of Alberti's frauds grow as the investigation proceeds. Thousands of depositors of small means have lost all their savings through Alberti's operations and the feeling against him is intense.

Crowds swarm the streets crying out for revenge against him and bitterly denouncing the government and bank officials for not discovering his methods.

Ball Gores Balloon.

Port Jervis, N. Y., Sept. 9.—Bull, balloon and boys were mixed together near here yesterday. The bull attacked a balloon built by youthful members of the Glen Eyre Aero Club, and Charles Brownson and William Harding made the first ascent. The balloon rose a few feet and sailed over a fence. There was too much ballast and before the aeronauts could throw it out the air bag dropped in the next field, where the bull charged it. The aeronauts got safely away, and, relieved of their weight, the balloon might have risen had not the bull's horns torn a huge rent in it. It collapsed; the triumphant bull trampled it and got badly tangled in the torn cloth, ropes and netting.

The bull, wrapped in the balloon, gyrated over the field, and so scared several cows that they broke through the fence and took to the woods.

The British Navy.

London, Sept. 9.—England's pride in her navy was given a twist today by the publication in anti-government newspaper of naval statistics that discredit the figures recently given out by the British Admiralty. According to Admiralty's statement, England has 57 battleships 34 armored cruisers, 142 completed destroyers and 12 destroyers building, a total far more than double that of either America or France, England's closest rivals. This estimate of strength is declared ridiculous by the anti-government press. Many of the vessels included in the list, it is declared, are either obsolete or out of repair. The real figures should read, these papers say, as follows: Thirty nine battleships; 27 armored cruisers, 124 completed destroyers and twelve destroyers building.

Burned to Death.

Philadelphia, Sept. 9.—During a fire early today which completely destroyed the Philadelphia Cricket Club house at St. Martin's, near Chestnut Hill, one man was burned to death and two women were seriously injured. Several domestics were asleep in the building at the time the fire started. It spread rapidly and Mrs. Hollis, on the third floor, was cut off by the flames. She jumped from the window and her legs were broken. Thomas McHenry, an employe of the University club, a visitor, was burned to death. Mary Driscoll, 20 years old, a domestic, also jumped from a window and was badly hurt. The two women were removed to the Chestnut Hill Hospital for treatment.

Exiled.

Saigon, Chochin China, Sept. 9.—Ex King Than Thai, of Annam, who has been on trial for torturing several of his wives to death or into insanity, will be exiled to Algeria by the verdict just rendered. This is Than's second offense. For the first he was removed from the throne two years ago in favor of his son, a youth still under 21 years of age. Physicians who have examined the deposed monarch say he suffers from attacks of homicidal mania.

Charters Granted.

[Special dispatch to the Alexandria Gazette.]

Richmond, Va., Sept. 2.—The following charters were granted today by the Corporation Commission:

Washington Horse Show and Racing Association, of Alexandria. Incorporators: C. J. Rixey, W. T. Townes and E. W. Stearnes.

Board—Armstrong Corporation, of Alexandria; to grow fruit and make cider. Incorporators: S. F. Leetboard, Frank Armstrong and Douglass Stuart. Minimum capital, $30,000.

Harrison Lumber Company, of Rosslyn. Incorporators: F. Harrison, H. C. Irwin and A. Kloepper, all of Washington. Minimum capital, $25,000.

The Air Ship.

Washington, D. C., Sept. 9.—To America, and to Orville Wright, a modest young man from Dayton, O., go the honor of accomplishing the most wonderful feat in aviation yet recorded.

The Wright aeroplane, operated by the aviator, whose brother Wilbur has been conducting successful tests in France, sailed today over and around the parade grounds at Fort Myer, Va., for 57 minutes and 31 seconds, exceeding by more than 26 minutes the hitherto world-breaking record made last Monday by Delagrange near Paris.

During the flight the machine maintained an average speed of about 38 miles an hour less than that required under the government contract for speed on a straightaway course.

Upon alighting, Wright expressed the utmost astonishment that he had remained in the air for so long a time, and regrets that he had not made it an hour. "I could have remained up ten or fifteen minutes longer," he said. "I still had some gasoline left. The motor worked almost to perfection, there being only an occasional slip. I shall try another flight as soon as I can load up the gasoline tank and look over the engine."

This morning's flight started at 8:15, the aeroplane being launched as usual from a track laid upon the ground and by means of counter-balancing weights. Weather conditions could not have been more favorable. Attracted by the announcement that Wright was to try for a record flight, a crowd of army and navy officers and citizens had gathered on the parade grounds. When it became known that Wright had broken the world's record of 31 minutes continued flight, and there was apparently no desire on his part to return to earth, a rousing cheer went up. From then on, every person who owned a watch kept tab and hurrahed as the minutes sped by. Finally when the aeroplane gently descended and poised expectantly above the ground, the crowd rushed forward, and as it came to a standstill softly as a bird alighting, every person present shouted congratulations to the aviator. While refilling his gasoline tank, Wright announced that he would fly again this afternoon, and make an attempt to break this morning's record.

Hughes to be Nominated.

New York, Sept. 9.—That Governor Hughes will be renominated on the first ballot at Saratoga next Tuesday now seems to be assured. Herbert Parsons, chairman of the New York county republican committee was the first to climb upon the Hughes band wagon. He issued a statement in which he admitted that a large majority of the delegates from that county would vote for Hughes. That means that his organization containing 187 votes in the convention, so far as he can control it, will vote solidly for the governor. Later came a very carefully prepared statement from Timothy L. Woodruff, chairman of the republican state committee, who has been one of the foremost of the recalcitrant state leaders. It winds up with an assurance that whoever may be the nominee of the convention, Hughes or any one else," will receive the most loyal and earnest support of the state organization. There is altogether too much at stake in this presidential year, concludes Chairman Woodruff, "for any republican to allow his prejudices, or even his personal desires to impair the present prospects of a splendid republican victory in the nation and the state."

The Iowa Dead Lock.

Des Moines, Ia., Sept 9.—When the Iowa House and Senate met in joint discussion today, the Cummins men declared that six of the "stand patters" who yesterday voted against the governor for the short term in the United States, had promised to support Cummins, giving him 70 votes of the 77 necessary to elect. Cummins received 64 votes and Claude R. Porter, the democratic candidate, 45 with 48 votes scattered yesterday. The scattering ballots were cast by the "stand patters." It was expected that 154 members would attend today, making it necessary for Cummins to get 77 to be elected.

The St. Leger Stake.

Doncaster, England, Sept. 9.—Your Majesty, belonging to J. B. Joel, won the rich St. Leger stake of 6,500 pounds at the Doncaster meeting today. While the horse was the favorite, his victory was greeted with hoots on account of the unpopularity of Joel, who recently lost a suit against England's popular sportsman, Robert Siever, whom Joel charged with attempted blackmail. Hall Walker's White Eagle was second in the St. Leger and Baron Rothschild's Santo Strato third. King Edward was in attendance, having come from London to avoid giving a reception to Cardinal Vannutelli, the papal delegate to the Eucharistic Congress.

No French Wine.

Reims, France, Sept. 9.—The gravest crisis that ever confronted the Champagne vineyards of France is now at hand in the destruction of this year's crop at the Midi vineyards and those of the famous Sillery and Epernay regions, where France's most famous wines are made. Mayors of the various towns in the affected regions, declared today that fifty-four fifty-fifths of the crop is already irremediably lost, with scant prospect of saving the small fraction remaining. Fears are entertained that scarcely a bottle of France's most famous wine will be made this year. The vineyards have been devastated by mildew and an insect which is fatal to the grape vines.

Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup is especially recommended for children. It tastes nearly as good as maple sugar. Sold by W. F. Creighton & Co.

MARRIED.

On Tuesday, September 8, 1908, at St. Paul's rectory, by Rev. P. P. Phillips, ANDREW B. CHESHIRE and SADIE M. DAVIS, both of this city.

The Forest Fires.

Duluth, Minn., Sept. 9.—Only a shifting of the light wind blowing during the night saved the town of Hibbing from destruction, according to messages from there today. A fire engine and company of men were sent out from Duluth last night to be held in readiness should the flames reach that town. Grand Marias on the north shore continues to be surrounded by flames. The people are in a worse plight than those on the Mesba range. They have no place of refuge except the lake. The fires have approached within one mile of the town. It is reported that the flames are backing down upon the city in great bounds and if the fires reaches there before a boat, the people will be in great danger. The situation at Hibbing was rendered less critical today when the wind died down and the fires subsided.

The fund raised here for the relief of the sufferers has exceeded $30,000. Advices received here from Sturgis, S. D., and from Calumet and Norway, Mich., state that forest fires are also raging near these places. Three troops from Fort Meade, near Sturgis have been sent out to fight the fire there, which is threatening the properties of the Homestake Mining Company. More than a score of forest fires are reported burning in the Black Hills.

Denied Permission.

Basle, Switzerland, Sept. 9.— James Wyler, an American, and James Blanc, a Swiss, whom Germany expelled from its territory for an alleged attempt to kidnap "mad king" Otto of Bavaria, were today denied permission to return to Germany. Despite their protestations of innocence the German authorities say their actions were suspicious enough to warrant action against them. Wyler and Blanc, who say they are in business together in Mexico, were enjoying a holiday in Europe and decided to find out for themselves, they say, whether King Otto was really mad. They visited the Chateau of Furstenreid, his prison, where Blanc climbed over the seven foot wall, while Wyler waited on the outside. He was still waiting there when the king's attendants arrived and arrested him as an anarchist. At police headquarters Wyler found Blanc, who had been taken into custody, ahead of him. After long explanations they were ordered to leave the country and given their choice of a frontier.

Illinois Democrats.

Perois, Ill., Sept. 9.—The proceedings of the democratic state convention which began here today, were overshadowed by the presence of William J. Bryan. The convention and the speech delivered by Bryan and Aldie Stevenson, marked the formal opening of the campaign in Illinois. Nearly 40,000 persons were here to hear Bryan's speech. After routine business had been disposed Aldie Stevenson paid a tribute to Bryan. Following Stevenson, Bryan was introduced and delivered his address on the "State and Nation." After this speech Bryan addressed an overflow meeting in the court house square, where an immense throng heard him. Tonight Governor John A. Johnson of Minnesota and John H. Atwood of Kansas will speak at the coliseum.

Bank to Reopen.

Harrisonburg, Pa., Sept. 9.—The Mount Washington Savings and Trust Company of Pittsburg was today authorized to reopen its doors for the purpose of paying off its depositors, but not to receive deposits or transact any other business. This was after the officers of institution had agreed to comply with all the requirements of the banking department, including the payments of time deposits. The officers of the bank had been summoned to appear before the attorney general today, but failed. Banking Commissioner Berkey was thereupon advised to appoint a temporary receiver, but refrained from doing so when assured that the bank officials would comply with the department demands.

New York Stock Market.

New York, Sept. 9.—Increased strength developed in the first hour and the high prices of the year were advanced in a number of issues. There was no change in the market conditions during the last half of the forenoon. Advances continued and the tone in all parts of the room showed decided strength. Stocks that had lagged in the first part of the morning became more active and advanced sharply.

COURT OF APPEALS.

The following is the business done in the Court of Appeals at Staunton yesterday:

The Blue Ridge Light and Power Company vs. Price, argued and submitted.

Harlow's administrator vs. Chesapeake and Ohio Railway Company, argued and submitted.

Next cases: Buena Vista Extract Company vs. Hickman and Reed vs. Reed.

A writ of error and supersedeas was allowed in the case of Burton against the Commonwealth. Walter S. Burton was indicted in the Corporation Court, of Richmond, some time ago on the charge of desertion and nonsupport of his wife, Mrs. Dorothy Dickerson Burton. The jury gave the accused man a term of twelve months in the city jail. The defendant is well known in Richmond. The following other appeals were also granted:

Davis et al. vs. Annex Corporation, from the Norfolk City Circuit Court, appeal allowed; Lake Drummond Water Company vs. Johnson, from Norfolk County Circuit Court, writ of error and supersedeas; McGrory vs. Garrett, from the Norfolk city law and Chancery Court writ of error and supersedeas.

LEAGUE BASEBALL GAMES

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.

Philadelphia, 6; New York, 5.
Boston, 3; Washington, 1.
St. Louis, 2; Cleveland, 0.
Chicago, 5; Detroit, 2.

HOW THEY STAND.

	W	L	Pct		W	L	Pct
Detroit	73	59	584	Phila'phia	67	63	496
Chicago	72	55	567	Boston	63	65	488
St. Louis	71	55	563	Wash'n	54	68	443
Cleveland	69	59	539	New York	40	86	317

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.

Philadelphia, 6; Boston, 4
New York, 1; Brooklyn, 0.
Pittsburg, 2; St. Louis, 0.
Chicago, 3; Cincinnati, 2.

HOW THEY STAND.

	W	L	Pct		W	L	Pct
New York	77	46	626	Cincinnati	61	67	477
Pittsburg	79	49	617	Boston	54	73	425
Chicago	78	51	605	Brookl'n	44	81	352
Phil'phia	67	55	549	St. Louis	44	83	749

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TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

The fight between Joe Gans, the Baltimore negro, and Battling Nelson will take place at San Francisco this evening.

The schooner Phyllis Gray was lost today off Devonshire, Eng., in a storm that is again sweeping the English coast. Her crew of 19 was drowned.

Ill health drove George Weber, 63, former sheriff of Hamilton county and a millionaire retired iron operator, to commit suicide at his country home near Cincinnati, O., today.

Despite the protests of the manufacturers of the state, Congressman Lilley was nominated for the governorship by the Connecticut republican state convention today, receiving 402 votes out of the 577 cast.

John Tilden, jr., president of the Baker Underwear Company was mortally wounded and his engineer was killed today when the manufacturer's motor boat exploded on Lake Oscawana, nine miles north of Peekskill, N. Y. Tilden's engineer was blown to pieces when the gasoline caught fire and exploded.

During a temporary fit of insanity Pearson Talley, of Wilmington, Del., secured a broad axe early this morning while his family were sleeping and murderously attacked his wife, his niece and the latter's husband, inflicting wounds from which they are not expected to recover. Talley was arrested and held without bail.

Superintendent of Police Regan announces that he will begin at once to enforce the provisions of the city ordinances that call for children to vacate the streets at Buffalo, N. Y., at 8 o'clock at night. The order goes into effect tonight and all girls under the age of 14 and boys under the age of 12 found on the streets after 8 o'clock, unless accompanied by older persons, will be taken into custody.

Because she says he dragged his mother-in-law out of bed by the hair of her head Spencer B. Bedell is today in the hospital at Jersey City, N. J., punctured by three bullets and his wife Mary who shot him is in jail. Bedell, his wife says, first abused her and then attacked her mother, Mrs. Margaret Bunny. Then came the shots, two piercing the man's shoulder and one his neck. Bedell is likely to recover.

A climax to the sensational $85,000 gold brick robbery on the steamship Tanama two years ago, was the arrest of James H. Beggs who reached Seattle, Wash., today from Nome, Alaska. Beggs was arrested on the charge of entering the state with golden goods. Part of the loot was returned by "Bobby" Miller, who has just finished a term of imprisonment, but Beggs, it is claimed, knows where $19,000 of the plunder is hidden.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Florida produces the finest lead pencil cedar in the world.

The population of this country increases one and a half millions a year.

Of Maryland's twenty-three counties all but seven are upon navigable waters.

Asia and Africa have about 8,000,000 Christians and 642,000,000 non-Christians.

In twenty-three years of Atlantic steaming the Britannic burned 510,000 tons of coal.

The moon's surface contains about 14,685,000 square miles, or four times the area of Europe.

Mrs. Russell Sage and Miss Anna Warner have given the government Constitution island, in the Hudson, to be added to the West Point reservation.

An English medical officer says neglected teeth cause a large percentage of disease of the digestive organs, and men are most offenders of the sanitary rule of cleaning teeth daily.

Jacob S. Coxey, who led the army of unemployed men from his home at Mt. Vernon, O., to Washington, fourteen years ago, and who is now in New York, announces that he intends to work for the populist party and for the election of Thomas Watson during the presidential campaign.

REV. SNYDER SENTENCED.

Rev. Leonard W. Snyder, of Norwood, Ohio, was arraigned in the police court in Richmond yesterday, fined $25, and sent to jail for six months on a charge of disorderly conduct, following a police investigation at the instance of parents of Richmond boys. He pleaded guilty. He could not give bond. He posed there for more than a week as the boy's minister, gathering many lads about him. Disclosures made by one of the boys led to the man being watched. As soon as he discovered that he was under surveillance, he fled to Norfolk, going through to Virginia Beach, his arrest following on Sunday.

OYSTERMEN DEFY POLICE.

Openly defying the law and the sheriff and his deputies, a fleet of 200 oyster vessels sailed into Sinepuxent bay, Md., yesterday, possessed themselves of its waters and began illegal oystering. The bay is dotted with the sails of the craft so far as the eye can reach.

The sheriff of Worcester county and his men have no difficulty in identifying the offenders, and the latter make no attempt to escape detection. They simply declare that, law or no law, they intend to take the oysters and do not propose to be prevented from doing so. Their offense is in taking undersized oysters.

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Alexandria Gazette.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, SEPT. 9, 1908.

Local Matters.

Sun and Tide Table.

Sun rises tomorrow at 5:38 and sets at 6:16. High water at 7.30 a. m. and 7.53 p. m.

Weather Probabilities.

For this section fair and slightly warmer tonight. Thursday fair; light variable winds, mostly southerly.

ANOTHER SHOOTING SCRAPE.

Labor day with its festivities passed has but the feeling engendered by tarrying too long at the wine did not end with the setting of the sun on that day. A man, as stated yesterday, was hacked with a knife by another on account of heated discussions of a day or two previous, and this morning about ten o'clock negro named Samuel Henderson was shot in the left leg, hip, knee and hand by a companion named James Carter. The fact that a drunken man speaks or acts a sober one's mind was never better exemplified in this case. They were both employed on the railroad and bunked together in a camp car which is on the track in the county. They drank together at several bars and when the hour for closing business came one of them purchased a pint bottle of whisky and both drank from the same bottle. Henderson claimed that Carter drank more at each swallow than he and a row ensued with the result that Lieut. Smith had to hurry out on the Washington road near Taylor's farm where the shooting took place and convey Henderson to the Alexandria Hospital. He is badly wounded. Carter has not as yet been apprehended.

WANTS TO FIND HER MOTHER.

To following letter has been received at this office:

San Francisco, Cal., Sept. 2.—I want to put an advertisement in the paper to see if I can find my mother. I think she is married again and I don't know her name. She don't know where I am and I don't know where she is. I was kidnapped from Virginia. I don't know the name of the place as I was only seven years old; now I am twenty. I have been trying to find her. Her name was then Mrs. Annie Cockerhane; her name before she married was Marshall. I heard that she was in Alexandria but I don't know. If you would please help me to locate her I would be more than happy and I know that she would.

MRS. ALICE MCLELLAN,
formerly Alice Cockerhane,
2243 Turk street, San Francisco, Cal.

IN NEED OF A FERRY.

Thousands of dollars are lost annually to the merchants of this city on account of improper facilities of travel between this city and Maryland. Since the Washington poor house has been established in the vicinity of Shepherps about 200 families have located just opposite this city. In addition to these many Washingtonians are buying land and building homes in that section of Maryland. It is a long distance to Washington from that point and if a ferry was established between this city and Fox's Ferry the trade of these people would come to this city. The only means of reaching here at present is by means of row boats—one operated by Capt. William Wheatley to Fox's Ferry and the other by Frank Burrage to Shepherd's wharf.

TO RACE AGAIN.

Not being entirely satisfied as to the result of the races a few days ago, most of the boat owners thinking the yacht owned by Mr. Chadwick should have been in the speed boat class, the runabout owners have arranged for a race on Sunday, September 20, between boats of this class, excluding the Chadwick boat. The owners will meet at the Elkton next Tuesday night to arrange for the race. The boats will start from Hammond's wharf and run as far as Fort Foote and return. Cash prizes will be offered for first and second place.

POLICE COURT.

[Justice H. B. Caton presiding.]

The following cases were disposed of this morning:

A white man, charged with disorderly conduct, was fined $5.

Carrie Evans, colored, charged with disorderly conduct, was dismissed.

John Sims, colored, charged with firing a pistol in the street, was dismissed for want of evidence.

HURT QUITE BADLY.

Two boys were playing on a wagon which was in a lot on Columbus street and a citizen demanded that they get out of it. One of the boys was the son of Mr. John Morrisey, who lives at 929 Alfred street. Morrisey jumped from the wagon and struck a plank in which there was a ten-penny nail and it was forced through his foot. He was taken to his home and medical aid summoned.

BOY AND TORPEDO.

Charles, the little son of Mr. Charles Swinermer, living on Wilkes street, between Fairfax and Lee, procured a railroad torpedo yesterday evening and placing the explosive on the pavement threw a brick on it. The torpedo exploded and a piece lodged in the boy's leg. He was taken to his home and later received medical attention.

REV. JOHN CAVNAUGH.

Rev. John Cavnaugh, pastor of the Free Methodist Church of Wilkesbarre, Pa., is about to close his labors in that city. He was sent to that charge three years ago. He will preach his farewell sermon on Sunday and next week will attend conference at Allentown, and will there be assigned to a new charge.

ADVERTISING PAYS.

As stated yesterday Mr. George Craven lost a pair of rubber boots. The one who took them was either conscience stricken or was afraid of arrest as the boots was in their respective place this morning.

NOTHING NEW.

There is nothing new in the baby case. The woman who left it at Mrs. Wade's house has not been found although there are many rumors concerning her. The authorities are endeavoring to locate her and it is thought they will be successful.

Reduction Sale of Low Shoes, Pumps, Oxfords and Colonial ties, all new effects, latest styles. This is an opportunity, don't miss it. J. A. Marshall & Bro

NEW TRIBE OF RED MEN.

The meeting held last night in the office of Norton & Boothe, on south Fairfax street, for the purpose of taking final action in the matter of organizing another tribe of the Improved Order of Red Men, was well attended and much enthusiasm was manifested in the movement by those present. It was unanimously decided that application be made at once to the proper Great Chiefs of the State, through Great Junior Sagamore W. S. Nickiln, of this city, for dispensation to institute the tribe some time in the early part of October. The new tribe will be composed of some of the most influential and best known citizens and bids fair to become a great factor in the fraternal societies of Alexandria. The order throughout the entire country has been making wonderful progress in recent years. There are many causes for its phenomenal increase in numbers and influence. The order has intrinsic merit as a society which teaches and exemplifies its principles of friendship and brotherly helpfulness. Its precepts inspire all with the spirit of fraternal love and good fellowship and the divine idea of the brotherhood of man. Its teachings tend to refine the natures of its members to enoble their characters, and awaken their minds to the highest aspirations. And it can be truthfully said that it has few equals in the care of the sick and afflicted of the tribes, and in its ministration to the needs of their widows and orphans. It welcomes all white male citizens of sterling worth into its fraternal bonds of freedom, friendship and charity—the three cardinal virtues of the order. The next meeting of the new society will be held in the office of Norton & Boothe, Wednesday night the 16th inst., when they will elect their permanent officers. Mr. J. Wm. May is the acting chairman and H. Noel Garner, acting secretary.

CIRCUIT COURT FOR COUNTY.

[Judge J. B. T. Thornton, presiding.]

A grand jury, after the Gazette's report closed yesterday, investigated the escape of Richard McGuire and Samuel Hines, both negroes, from the county jail September 1, after assaulting Jailer Harry Crack. The jury recommended in its report that all prisoners be kept in cells and closely guarded, and not be permitted to leave the jail without a guard and that they should not be given the freedom of the grounds; that some changes be made in the doors of the jail etc., and stated that some degree of censure is due the jailor for allowing the prisoners to escape.

Four indictments for assault and highway robbery were found against Samuel Hines, colored.

Robert Lee, colored, for attempting to wreck an Old Dominion and Great Falls electric car, case set for trial September 10.

Charles McCoy, colored, robbing A. M. Roberts, of The Plains, Fauquier county, sentenced to serve three and one-half years in the penitentiary.

Lucy Banks, colored, grand larceny, sentenced to serve two years in the penitentiary.

James Dorsey, colored, petit larceny, sentenced to serve two months in the county jail.

The case of Benjamin Carter, colored, charged with car breaking and larceny, was continued until October 1.

Court adjourned till Thursday.

DANGEROUS CROSSING.

People who have to travel on the telegraph road are loud in their complaint about Cameron Run crossing which is on the Washington-Southern and the Southern Railway. A watchman is stationed there up to 6 o'clock in the afternoon and afterward no one looks out for the safety of travelers. There are seven railroad tracks at the point and two or three trains crosses the point every two or three minutes. It is a fact, too, that more people travel over the crossing after 6 o'clock than before. In the last few years there have been several narrow escapes from death at the point. Frank Nevitt was killed at the crossing, George Sims was badly hurt, and Peter Pulman's team struck twice and demolished. What is needed is an overhead bridge and until this is built a watchman should be kept there every night. It is said that the railroads have signified their willingness to construct their share of a bridge, but Fairfax county is unwilling at this time to commence the work.

THE WESTMINSTER LEAGUE.

Between 30 and 40 members of the Westminster League of the Second Presbyterian Church, last night visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wilkinson in the "Woodlawn" neighborhood. The party left on a special electric train shortly after 7 o'clock. The visitors were handsomely entertained. They returned to this city about 11 o'clock greatly pleased with their evening's experience

STILL VICTOR.

On the occasion of the regatta in Georgetown channel a day or two ago, the launch from the Government training ship challenged Admiral Calmes, of the Augusta, for a race. The government boat was supposed to be the fastest keel boat on the river, but the admiral soon had a different story circulating in Washington. The Augusta left the government boat far in the rear.

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DEEDS OF BARGAIN AND SALE.

John W. Green has sold to Stephen J. McCauley a lot on the west side of Washington street, between Madison and Montgomery streets.

Henry C. Myers has sold to Samuel D. Devaughn a house and lot on the west side of Pitt street, between Wolfe and Wilkes streets.

James B. Martin has sold to Rose E. Downey a house and lot on the north side of Queen street, between Columbus and Alfred streets.

Jonathan Matthews has sold to Marshall L. Dinwiddie and John G. Graham a house and lot on the west side of Alfred street, between Queen and Princess.

James B. Nagel has sold to Eliza A. Deavers house and lot No. 1307 Prince street.

MOTION PICTURES.

Tonight there will be a complete change of pictures at the Elite Motion Picture House, Schuler's Hall. The subjects are "Monte Cristo," "Perjurer" and "Noisy Neighbors," all good pictures. Billy Franklin, the black-faced comedian, is the finest ever seen in the city.

Entire change at the Alexandria Amusement Company. The subjects are "Freedom for All," "A Woman's Jealousy," Lost and Found" and "Disastrous Flirtation," all first class pictures.

At the Opera House George W. Carroll, the song and dance artist, and Frank Bashford, the comical bag puncher, will exhibit their skill, and there will be an entire change of moving pictures.

POPULAR HAT HOUSE.

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SCHOOL PERMITS.

The clerk of the City School Board today issued 128 permits to children to attend the public schools—70 to white boys and 58 to white girls. This makes 1,161 permits issued to white children during the week—599 to boys and 564 to girls. Last year 1,165 were issued to white children—565 to boys and 600 to girls. Permits will be issued tomorrow and Friday to colored children.

PERSONAL.

Chief George W. Pettey, of the Fire Department, is on his 10 days vacation and Fire Warden Courtney Acton is acting chief.

Miss Mary Clapdore, of Baltimore, who has been visiting Miss Nettie Wells, has returned to her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Nash, of Portsmouth, Va., spent the week end in Fairfax county and this city.

Mr. Andrew Cheshire and Miss Sadie Davis, both of this city, were quietly married yesterday afternoon at the rectory of St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Rev. P. P. Phillips officiating.

Mrs. E. T. McVeigh has returned from a visit to relatives in Fairfax.

The many friends of Mrs. Green, who, with her husband, Maj. John W. Green, is a guest at Mrs. J. M. White's, on Prince street, will regret to learn that last night she was taken suddenly ill with what was thought to be a stroke of apoplexy. She rallied, however, today and there are strong hopes for her recovery.

Wholesale Prices of Produce.

Flour Extra	4 00	a	4 25
Family	4 75	a	5 00
Fancy brands	5 25	a	5 50
Wheat, longberry	0 92	a	0 94
Mixed	0 90	a	0 92
Nuts	0 90	a	0 92
Damp and tough	0 83	a	0 87
Corn, white	0 85	a	0 90
Mixed	0 83	a	0 86
Yellow	0 83	a	0 85
Corn Meal	0 98	a	1 00
Rye	0 65	a	0 70
Oats, mixed, new	0 45	a	0 50
White, new	0 48	a	0 53
Elgin Print Butter	0 32	a	0 34
Butter, Virginia, packed	0 18	a	0 20
Choice Virginia	0 20	a	0 22
Common to middling	0 14	a	0 16
Eggs	0 21	a	0 22
Live Chickens (hens)	0 11	a	0 12
Spring Chickens	0 15	a	0 18
Potatoes, per bu	90	a	1 00
Sweet Potatoes	2 50	a	3 00
Onions, per bushel	0 90	a	100
Apples, per bbl	0 00	a	3 50
Dried Peaches, pealed	0 10½	a	0 14
Pork, per 100 lbs	7 50	a	8 50
Bacon, country hams	0 15	a	0 15½
Best sugar-cured hams	0 15½	a	0 16
Breakfast Bacon	0 15½	a	0 16½
Sugar-cured shoulders	0 10	a	0 10½
Bulk shoulders	0 10	a	0 11
Dry Salt sides	0 10½	a	0 11
Fat backs	0 10	a	0 10½
Bellies	0 11	a	0 11½
Sugars—Brown	4 65	a	4 75
Off A	0 00	a	4 90
Conf. standard	0 00	a	5 15
Granulated	5 25	a	5 55
Coffees—Rio	0 10½	a	0 14
LaGuayra	0 15	a	0 16
Java	0 18	a	0 26
Molasses B. S	0 9	a	0 14
C. B	0 17	a	0 22
New Orleans	0 30	a	0 45
Sugar Syrups	0 16	a	0 30
Porto Rico	0 18	a	0 35
Salt—G. A	0 57	a	0 58
Fine	0 80	a	1 00
Turk's Island	1 00	a	1 00
Wool—long, unwashed	0 28	a	0 29
Washed	0 28	a	0 28
Merino, unwashed	0 28	a	0 29
Do. washed	0 28	a	0 29
Herring, Eastern per bbl	6 75	a	7 50
Potomac No 1	3 00	a	3 25
No. 1 Cut Potomac Herring	3 25	a	3 50
Potomac family roe	4 50	a	5 00
Do. half barrel	2 25	a	3 00
Potomac Shad, per half bbl		a	7 50
Mackerel, small per bbl	13 00	a	14 00
No. 3 medium	14 00	a	14 50
No. 2	15 00	a	16 00
Plaster, ground, per ton	4 50	a	5 00
Ground in bags	5 00	a	5 50
Lump	3 50	a	3 75
Clover Seed	6 50	a	7 50
Timothy	2 25	a	3 50
Hay	17 50	a	20 00

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LOCAL BREVITIES.

The swallows have flown—an indication of an early fall.

The monthly meeting of the board of managers of the Children's Home will be held tomorrow evening at 3 o'clock.

The remains of the late Thomas L. Callis, who committed suicide in Washington Monday, were brought here this evening for interment.

Orville Wright broke the American aeroplane record at Fort Myer yesterday by remaining in the air over 11 minutes and flying over 35 miles an hour.

The report that Tobbs, the negro who was badly cut at a saloon in this city yesterday, was dead, is untrue, as he is very much improved.

The young lady who was connected with the finding of the dead infant at Hunters' station was reported by the name of Crump, and it should have been Cronck.

Mrs. Elizabeth Walker, a well known resident of Del Ray and wife of Mr. Joseph Walker, who is connected with the brick yards at Brickhaven, died suddenly at her home yesterday of heart disease.

A little eighteen-months-old daughter of Mr. A. M. Bassett, who lives on south Pitt street, this morning got hold of a cup in which some formaldehyde had been left and drank the poison. Dr. Moore was at once summoned and soon relieved the little one.

Annapolis Hard Crabs at the Opera House Cafe tonight; 40c per dozen. Oysters in all styles.

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WEDNESDAY EVENING, SEPT. 9, 1908

MUNICIPAL OWNERSHIP IN AUSTRIA.

I had a talk with a Vienna business man the other day about municipal ownership in Austria. It would be obviously improper to use his name, but he is a man of weight and standing, who knows what he is talking about. In the light of what he said it is easy to see how municipal ownership of public utilities in the United States might keep one political party permanently in power and thus perpetuate whatever system of graft might spring up.

My friend would not talk about the existence of graft in connection with the operation of utilities there, but he was emphatic in his statement concerning the hold it has given the party in power.

Public ownership is well developed in Austria, there being practically no privately owned railroads or street car lines in that country. Vienna owns not only the street cars, the electric light and gas works, but many other things, including a great array of butcher shops, the largest brewery and the most impressive beer drinking place in the city, besides some of the most desirable quarries in the vicinity. These quarries were acquired when the famous Ringstrasse was to be opened in order that the government might possess its own supply of stone for the erection of the public buildings now ranged on either side of the beautiful thoroughfare. The purpose for which the quarries were acquired was accomplished years ago, but they are still operated by the city in competition with private quarrymen.

I asked whether the various municipal and government enterprises in Austria paid a profit for the reduction of taxes or not.

"They are supposed to do so," he replied, "but no one save those in high places will ever really know much about it. Anyway, the system of public ownership is certain to be extended rather than checked in Austria.

"Why? Partly because it is largely by the votes of the men employed on the railroads, the street car lines and all other public enterprises that the government is able to maintain itself. This is so important a factor in the situation that public utilities would continue to be operated by the authorities even if the result were a money loss.

"The suffrage is restricted in Austria to such an extent that there are only about 3,000,000 qualified voters in the country. They include the conductors, trainmen, engine drivers, firemen, etc., on the national railways; also the station keepers and other employees at each station, the men employed on the tracks, in the shops, etc. They also include the street car men in Vienna and other municipalities, the men employed in the Vienna slaughterhouses, in the meat shops, in the great municipal brewery, and so on, besides the thousands employed in the legitimate governmental bureaus.

"Now, there may be public utility employees here and there who have enough personal independence to vote as they choose regardless of their employment, but they are few and far between. When found out their usefulness in the public service is no longer apparent, and they lose their jobs promptly. The result is that the government can always count practically upon a solid block of 700,000 voters, or about one in four of the entire electorate, at the popular elections.

"As a matter of fact, the government has almost as strong a hold upon many other thousands of workingmen voters as it has upon those who are directly in its employ, some say 300,000 at least. A portion of them work in the locomotive shops, the rolling mills, the car shops and other establishments which furnish the rolling stock, the rails and the supplies to the government and municipal railroads.

"As there are practically no possible customers for rails or cars, for locomotives, either steam or electric, or, in fact, for any sort of railway supplies, except the national and municipal governments, the managers of the establishments furnishing such things must stand well with the authorities or be wiped out, and the same is true, though in a less degree, of the makers of dynamos and motors and many other things.

"The best way for these manufacturers, who, next to the government itself, are the most extensive employers of labor in Austria, to stand well with the government is to see to it that their workmen 'vote right,' and this they certainly do.

"The thousands of men they can control, added to the 700,000 in the various forms of direct government employment, make up a total of a million voters, or one-third of the whole. Their solidarity practically insures indefinite control of the government by the party with which they vote. There can certainly be little chance in Austria for a change in governmental conditions so long as there is no change with regard to the country's utilities. There are observers who, bearing in mind the many warring elements in Austria, do not hesitate to say that the stability of the Hapsburg throne itself depends largely upon the cohesive power of public ownership."

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"Years ago," said an Auburn woman eighty years young, "it was counted a sin among the good wives of the little Maine town where I was born to waste a single moment of time. I have heard my grandmother tell the story of one dame who mucl candalized the church people on one never to be forgotten occasion. People who went early to church were surprised one Sabbath morning to see Aunt Betsy sitting away up in front, gray yarn stockings in her hands and her knitting needles clicking merrily away as she worked. The minister stopped in surprise as he passed her on his way to the pulpit, but the old lady was not one whit disturbed by his disapproving air. Smiling serenely, she said complacently: 'Thought I'd knit a stitch while the people are gathering. I never was one to waste a minute, elder.' And the good dame continued to click her needles, while the horrified minister hastened to his desk. Not till he began his sermon did Aunt Betsy lay aside her Sunday knitting work."—Kennebec Journal.

Carlyle Was a Terror.

The domestic infelicity of the Carlyles is common knowledge, but it is not inappropriate to give Mrs. Carlyle's view of her husband. "If he would only be satisfied!" she used to sometimes complain of Carlyle. "But I have had to learn that when he does not find fault he is pleased, and that has to content me."

On one occasion when Carlyle was away from home Mrs. Carlyle busied herself to get all in perfect order for her husband's arrival, and when all was complete—his dinner ready, his armchair in its usual position, his pipe and tobacco prepared, all looking as comfortable as possible—Mrs. C. sat down at last to rest and to expect him with a quiet mind. He arrived, and "after he had greeted me, what do you think he did? He walked to the window and shook it and asked, 'Where's the wedge of the window?' And until we had found that blessed wedge nothing would content him. He said the window would rattle and spoil all."

Preserving the Balance.

A well known professor of architecture, commonly referred to as "Hammy" by his pupils, told a story illustrative of the remarkable degree to which certain persons possess the sense of symmetry.

It seems that there was once a Scotch gardener who had charge of a good sized English estate and under whose direction the formal garden at the rear had been laid out with absolute symmetry, even the two summer houses, one on each side of the garden, being identical in even the most minute detail. On one occasion the Englishman became angry at his son and locked him up in one of the summer houses. As soon as the Scotch gardener heard of this his sense of symmetry was so outraged that he immediately sent for his own son and locked him up in the other summer house to preserve the balance. "Hammy" neglected to mention whether both boys were dressed exactly alike, but it is to be presumed that even this detail was attended to by the aesthetic Scotchman. —New York Times.

Postage Stamp Gum.

Every time a person licks a United States postage stamp he gets a taste of sweet potato. The gum with which the stamps are backed is made from that succulent vegetable because Uncle Sam's lieutenants consider it the most harmless preparation of the sort. All of the gum used on American postage stamps is mixed by the government at the bureau of engraving and printing, where the stamps are made. It is spread on the sheets after the stamps have been printed. The gum, in a liquid form, is forced up through pipes from the basement, where it is made. These pipes lead to a series of machines consisting of rollers, between which the sheets of stamps are fed, one at a time. A continuous fine stream of the liquid gum falls upon one of these rollers. The sheet with its wet coating of sweet potato mucilage passes from the rollers into a long horizontal flue filled with hot air. When it emerges at the other end of the flue the gum is dry.—New York Telegram.

Tourist Excursion Fares.

The Southern Railway announces effective June 1st resumption of sale of tourist excursion tickets to points in Virginia, North and South Carolina, Tennessee, etc., and return. These tickets will be on sale daily until September 30; final return limit October 31, unless otherwise specified. For further information apply to nearest coupon ticket agent, Southern Railway.

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MEETINGS.

TO THE STOCKHOLDERS OF MONOLITH STEEL COMPANY, INC.—The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the above corporation will be held at its office, No. 111 south Fairfax street, Alexandria Virginia (being the office of its attorney, James R. Caton, esq.,), on MONDAY, the 28th day of September, 1908, at three o'clock p. m. H. M. LOW, Secretary.
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THE annual meeting of the stockholders and directors of THE HARRIS & SHAFER Co. will be held at the office of the company, 123 south Royal street, Alexandria, Va., at 3 p. m., THURSDAY, September 24, 1908. By order of the directors.
sept3 2w C. A. SHAFER, Secretary

NOTICE.—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the UNION BUILDING COMPANY for the election of a board of directors and for such other business as may be proper will be held at the office of the company, 123 south Royal street, Alexandria, Va., on MONDAY, September 21, 1908, at 12.30 p. m.
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LEGAL NOTICES.

VIRGINIA.—In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, on the 21st day of August, 1908.
Mary E. Montague, complainant, vs. Randolph Jerome Montague, defendant. In chancery.
Memo. The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce a mensa et thoro for the complainant from the defendant, and for general relief.
It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant, Randolph Jerome Montague, is a non-resident of this State: It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order; and do what is necessary to protect his interests in this suit, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the city of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city.
A copy—TESTE.
NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, Clerk.
Leo P. Harlow, P. Q. aug21 w4wf

VIRGINIA.—In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, on the 3rd day of September, 1908.
M. F. Wrenn vs. the Pittsburg Safe Company, a corporation.
Memo. The object of this suit is to recover of the defendant for the plaintiff the sum of $334.88 and to attach and subject the property of the defendant in the city of Alexandria to the payment of said debt.
It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant, The Pittsburg Safe Company, a corporation, is a non-resident of this State: It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect its interests in this suit and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the city of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city.
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PROPOSALS.—U. S Department of Agriculture, office of the Secretary, Washington, D. C., August 27, 1908.—Sealed proposals will be received until noon, Tuesday, September 22, 1908, for the completion of an unfinished three-story and cellar stone building and the completion of the interior heating system of a two-story and cellar frame building for the Weather Bureau, U. S. Department of Agriculture, at Mt. Weather, Va., in accordance with plans and specifications, which may be obtained on and after September 3, 1908, from the office of the Chief of the Weather Bureau, Washington, D. C., and the local Weather Bureau office, Mt. Weather, Va. Bids must be sealed and indorsed on envelope "Proposals for Completing Weather Bureau Buildings, Mt. Weather, Va.," and addressed to the Chief, U. S. Weather Bureau, Washington, D. C. The Department reserves the right to reject any or all bids.
JAMES WILSON, Secretary.
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Through trains from the South arrive at Alexandria 8:28 and 8:48 A. M. and 3:13, 8:43, and 11:13 P. M. daily. Harrisonburg 12:08 P. M. week days and 9:13 P. M. daily. From Charlottesville 7:53 A. M.

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